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## FEATURES OF PENSION BILL FOR D.C. POLICE AND FIREMEN

The principal features of the firemen's and policemen's fund law as passed by the Senate yesterday are:

All fines imposed by the Commissioners for disciplinary purposes, all rewards, proceeds of gifts, and emoluments shall be turned into the pension fund.

Monthly deduction of one and one-half per cent shall be made from the salaries of all regular members of the police and fire force. Net proceeds from the sale of unclaimed property sold by the police to be turned over to the pension fund.

Members who have reached the age of 55 years and have served twenty-five years in the department are eligible for retirement at one-half their existing rate of compensation.

The District is authorized and compelled to make such expenditures to the fund as will enable it to pay 100 per cent to those members entitled to relief.

## MILITIAMEN SHARE EXCHANGE PROFITS

District Guardsmen Spend \$2,617.30  
During July at Canteen Run  
by Regulars.

The District troops at Camp Ordway will receive \$251.73 as their share of the July profits of the post exchange that is being run in the camp by the regular cavalrymen from Fort Myer.

District militiamen spent \$2,617.30 at the canteen during the month of July. The militia camp receives 10 per cent of the gross receipts of the canteen under an agreement with the regulars.

At a meeting today of all company commanders, Maj. J. C. Whitaker, post exchange officer, will propose that the militia share of the profits be divided according to the organizations, according to the number of men in the organizations. If this is adopted it will mean that each company mess fund will be given about \$14.

Ontario is looking forward to a bright season as far as its great dairy interests are concerned.

## WILSON SEEKS TO AVERT STRIKE

Prepares Appeal to Railroads  
and Unions for  
Mediation.

Official Washington is keenly alive to the seriousness of the controversy between the railroads and their employees. While it does not look for a general strike of engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors on the 325 railroads, it appreciates the possibility. Already it is preparing to cope with such a situation.

Should a strike be called Congress would be compelled to act. Government control and operation would be resorted to in a case of necessity.

President Wilson, in order to forestall a strike, is preparing an appeal to the railroads and brotherhoods to submit to mediation. In this appeal he will give assurance of an impartial tribunal to consider the issue at stake.

When it became known in Washington yesterday that 99 per cent of the employees of the Eastern and Southeastern railroads had declared themselves in favor of a strike every agency of the government which could influence either side was pressed into service.

President Wilson directed William L. Chambers, Commissioner of the Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation, to obtain all information relating to the controversy and lay it before him. Commissioner Chambers, after conferences with the President, said:

"There is to be no crucial situation until next Thursday. The strike vote is now being counted and the results will be made known officially on that day. There will be a meeting in New York next Tuesday between the committee of general managers of the railroads and the executive heads of the railway transportation brotherhoods.

"The official announcement of the strike vote will be made at that meeting and negotiations will be resumed for direct settlement, if possible between the parties."

## TRAILS GIRL TO HAITI ON CHARGE OF LARCENY

Detective Brings Back 15-Year-Old  
Syrian Who Flew with Her  
Sweetheart.

New York, Aug. 3.—Accused of stealing \$1,250 in cash and \$50 worth of jewelry from her father, Kasig Hassan, a 15-year-old Syrian girl, was brought back from Port-au-Prince, Haiti, on board the steamship Prince William, today, to face trial on a charge of grand larceny. The prisoner arrived in the custody of Detective Herbert.

According to the police, the girl vanished from this city in March of last year simultaneously with \$1,250 from the cash till of Joseph Hassan, an importer and lace manufacturer. She was traced to New Orleans, where it was ascertained, the police say, that her companion in flight was Ilyas Nassef, reported to have been her sweetheart.

From New Orleans, it is said, the couple went to Havana and then to Port-au-Prince, where they were found by Secret Service agents of the Federal government.

## SENATE PASSES FIRE AND POLICE PENSIONS

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Norris, the upper branch agreed that 70 cents should be the price for gas for citizens of the District and 70 cents for the government.

### Senate Vote Declines.

The half-and-half plan was adopted by a vote so decisive that there is little doubt that the Senate conferees will recede from their belief that the existing plan of government is to be favored in preference to the House plan that fixes taxation on the basis of two-thirds for the District and one-third for the government.

The conferees on the Senate side will also insist on the pension provision for firemen and policemen.

Fourteenth street between Pennsylvania Avenue and E street northwest will be widened, the Senate voting to sustain Senator Martine in his objection to striking out a House provision for its widening.

The Sterling amendment, fixing a tax of four-tenths of 1 per cent on intangible property will be a subject that will call for a wrangle when the bill goes to conference.

### \$250,000,000 Involved.

This amendment means that bank balances amounting to millions of dollars and equal amounts represented in stocks and bonds will be subject to a new tax. In all, \$250,000,000 is involved and the financial interests of the city are already active to have the provision struck out in conference.

While economy is the watchword of the present Congress, the appropriation figures yesterday passed the \$1,500,000,000 mark, a new record. With measures still pending and slated to be acted upon at the present session, the figures will reach another hundred million.

## TO PAY THIRD INFANTRY TOMORROW AT ORDWAY

The Third Infantry at Camp Ordway will be paid tomorrow morning, the quartermaster at Fort Myer has promised. Corrections in pay rolls of most of the companies has held up the disbursing of the money.

Troop A will be paid at the Congress Heights range either today or tomorrow. The batteries, the machine gun company, sanitary troops, and the First Separate Battalion recruits were paid Wednesday.

A single Angora goat has been known to yield thirty pounds of wool at a shearing.

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## LOVE LETTERS FOUND IN SAFE

New York Woman Gets Dam-  
aging Evidence Against Girl  
Who Flew with Husband.

Special to The Washington Herald.

New York, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Martha Wilkens, the wife of George Wilkens, bookkeeper for the Englewood Country Club, who is under arrest in Chicago, charged with being a fugitive from justice, was today put in possession of a bundle of love letters written to her husband by Miss Helen Calhoun, the 19-year-old girl with whom Wilkens fled from New York.

When Mrs. Wilkens glanced over the correspondence she announced that she would immediately bring action against her husband for divorce.

When Wilkens is brought back to Englewood he will face a variety of charges. His wife has a warrant charging desertion, the Country Club officials want him arrested for stealing \$1,000 of the club's funds, and the father of the Calhoun girl, before starting for Chicago to get his daughter, announced that he would have the Mann white slave act used against him.

The love letters found in the safe of the Country Club show that Wilkens had been keeping company and corresponding with Miss Calhoun since last November. Helen Calhoun is the daughter of J. Freckrick Calhoun, and employed by the city as a tax searcher. Wilkens' wife is a tall, attractive blond, 20 years old. They have a 2-year-old son.

The Wilkens have been married for three years, and Mrs. Wilkens had occasion to doubt her husband until his disappearance on July 4. The couple made their home in rooms at the Country Club.

## DISCARDED LEG "KICKS UP" ROW

Halts Fire Apparatus on Way  
to Blaze and Starts Mur-  
der Mystery.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 4.—To the long list of misadventures and fantastic preparations attributed to the baseball passion must now be added the delaying of fire apparatus in reaching a blazing building, a two-hour murder mystery that inflamed the imaginations of a thousand persons and the postponement of the seemingly interment of an amputated leg.

The son of a man who suffered the loss of a leg by surgical operation was instructed to carry the severed limb to a safe place for burial. Fearful that he would not find the time to do so, he carried the leg with him, and when he was searching about when she came across the leg. Screaming, she scrambled to the street just as a company of fire apparatus responding to an alarm approached.

The drivers pulled their horses up short and the woman hysterically cried that a murder had been committed in the lot. Came running hundreds of curious persons, followed by eager policemen.

While investigation proceeded the boy appeared. He had been conscious, stricken, he said, and had left the ball game to return for his father's leg.

"What was the score?" asked another boy whose interest in the "murder" had at once cooled.

"It was 1 to 1 in the ninth inning and we had two men on bases when I just had to leave," was the answer, given in tears.

The policemen were not satisfied as to the exact cause of the boy's emotion and decided they had better see to the proper burial of the leg themselves.

### Local Doctor Is Honored.

Dr. E. C. Rice, of Washington, was elected a member of the executive board of the National Association of Chiropractors at the annual convention of the organization which closed its three days' session in Detroit yesterday.

### Harry Jeffries Sues for \$10,000.

Harry Jeffries has filed suit against the District Transfer Company for damages in the sum of \$10,000. The suit was entered in the District Supreme Court yesterday by Attorney Alvin L. Newmyer.

A strike of undertakers took place at Liverpool, England, recently.

### Federal Express Continued.

The Pennsylvania Railroad announces that the Federal Express, through night train to Boston via Philadelphia, will be continued Friday nights only until September 15, inclusive. Return train will come to New York Sunday nights only until September 17, inclusive.

## THIS BRICKLAYER CURED BY DRECO

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Dreco, the root and herb medicine which did so much good for Mr. Benner, can be bought in all the O'Donnell Drug Stores. Bury's Drug Store in Anacostia, Allen's Drug Store in Alexandria.—Adv.

## MOTHER ACTS AS WIFE'S SLEUTH

Cook's Testimony Also Helps  
Flushing Woman to Get  
Divorce.

Special to The Washington Herald.

New York, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Marion Lindsay Reid Andrews, who is a favorite in the younger social set of Flushing, has divorced Leslie Andrews, her second husband, to whom she was married less than a year ago. The decree was awarded by Justice Benedict in the Supreme Court, who heard testimony given for the young two-time bride by her mother.

Although the young woman's wedding to Leslie Andrews on October 30 of last year was private, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Dr. David James Burrell, pastor of the Marble Collegiate Church, the event was considered of much social importance in Flushing. Andrews interposed no defense to the charges made by Mrs. Clark and by the cook, to the effect that they discovered him in a hotel in Manhattan "with a strange woman." A detective sent on Andrews' trail told them where he might be located. The divorce papers were served on him by William M. Smith, who live at 29 Delaware street, Flushing. Smith testified that he was a lifelong friend of Andrews', having been a schoolmate.

Leslie Andrews, who is the son of Chase Andrews, Flushing, is as well connected socially as his wife, is known as an amateur actor, having been identified with many plays and productions given in local society circles.

Mrs. Andrews divorced her first husband, a Chicago man named Reid, several years ago.

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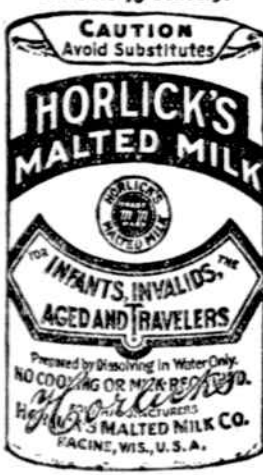
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